Since when do we allow corporate media to force their political viewpoints on the public...and in direct violation of the "equal time'" doctrine...while attempting to disguise a political hit piece as "news"?

This smear campaign against Senator Kerry is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation and a violation of federal law.

Sinclair's arrogant abuse of the public airwaves to push a highly partisan political message is NOT in the public interest and foreshadows a wave of similar anti-democratic actions if it isn't stopped and punished.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you.